

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

Lori Mendez,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Hobby Lobby Stores, Inc.; John Does I-XX,  
inclusive; ABC Corporations I-X, inclusive; and  
Black and White Companies, I-X, inclusive,

Defendant.


Case No.: 3:23-cv-00181-ART-CLB

**Discovery Plan and Scheduling  
Order; Submitted in Compliance  
with LR 26-1(b)**

1. **Meeting:** The parties conducted the Rule 26(f) conference on May 17, 2023.
2. **Pre-Discovery Disclosures:** The parties have not yet served their Rule 26(a)(1) disclosures.
3. **Discovery Plan:** The parties propose the discovery period below, calculated from Hobby Lobby Stores, Inc.'s April 28, 2023 Petition for Removal.

Amending the Pleadings and Adding Parties	July 28, 2023
Initial Expert Disclosures & Interim Status Report	July 28, 2023
Rebuttal Expert Disclosures	August 28, 2023
Discovery Closes	October 27, 2023
Dispositive Motions	November 27, 2023
Pre-Trial Order, if no Dispositive Motions	December 27, 2023

The parties certify that they have conferred about the possibility of using alternative dispute resolution processes, but concluded they are not mutually beneficial at this time. The parties also considered consent to trial by a Magistrate Judge and the use of the Short Trial Program. Further, the parties have discussed electronic evidence, but to date have no electronic evidence to present other than video of the fall.

 <u>/s/ Michael Lowry</u> Michael P. Lowry, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 10666 Attorneys for Hobby Lobby Stores, Inc.	TERRY FRIEDMAN & JULIE THROOP, PLLC  <u>/s/ Julie McGrath Throop</u> Julie McGrath Throop, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 11298 Attorneys for Plaintiff
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**ORDER**

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**Dated: May 17, 2023**

  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE